

CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (New): A method for conditioning content for presentation at a processing device, the method comprising the steps of:

obtaining a document containing content;

selecting a content profile associated with the device, the content profile including at least one operation;

invoking said at least one operation to generate a conditioned document having only a summarized text portion of original text of said content;

selecting a stylesheet associated with the device; and

applying the stylesheet to the conditioned document to generate an output suitable for presentation at the device.

Claim 20 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the obtained document comprises an extensible mark-up language document.

Claim 21 (New): The method of claim 19, further including the steps of selecting a schema associated with the device,

and generating the conditioned document by invoking the operation and applying the selected schema to the obtained document.

Claim 22 (New): The method of claim 21, wherein the invoking step and schema applying step are implemented in a content conditioner element of the processing device.

Claim 23 (New): The method of claim 21, wherein the invoking step and schema applying step are implemented in a content conditioner element of a server which stores at least a portion of the obtained document.

Claim 24 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the applying step is implemented in an extensible stylesheet language engine element of the processing device.

Claim 25 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the applying step is implemented in an extensible stylesheet language engine element of a server which stores at least a portion of the obtained document.

Claim 26 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the content profile specifies a percentage of an amount of original text associated with the obtained document that is to be

presented at the device.

Claim 27 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the output is presented in a visually-perceptible manner on a display of the device.

Claim 28 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the output is presented in an audibly-perceptible manner using a speaker associated with the device.

Claim 29 (New): The method of claim 19, wherein the processing device is selected from the group consisting of a desktop or portable personal computer, a personal digital assistant, a wireless telephone, and an Internet-enabled television.

Claim 30 (New): A device comprising:

- a memory for storing at least a portion of a content profile; and

- a processor coupled to the memory, the processor being operable to:

- generate a conditioned document for presentation at the device by applying the content profile to a received document containing content;

- select a stylesheet associated with the device;

and

apply the stylesheet to the conditioned document to generate an output suitable for presentation at the device.

Claim 31 (New): A device according to claim 30, wherein said content profile includes at least one operation and parameter for conditioning data on the device.

Claim 32 (New): A device according to claim 31, wherein said at least one operation is invoked by an executable program instruction for generating a conditioned document having only a summarized portion of original text of said content.

Claim 33 (New): A device according to claim 30, wherein a schema with document formatting information appropriate to the device is selected, and the conditioned document is generated by applying the content profile and the selected schema to the received document.

Claim 34 (New): A method for conditioning content for presentation at a processing device, the method comprising the steps of:

determining a content profile associated with the

device;

generating a conditioned document for presentation at the device by applying the content profile to a received document containing content;

selecting a stylesheet associated with the device; and

applying the stylesheet to the conditioned document to present an output in an audibly-perceptible manner using a speaker associated with the device.

Claim 35 (New): The method according to claim 34, wherein said content profile includes at least one operation for conditioning data on the device.

Claim 36 (New): The method according to claim 35, wherein the method includes invoking said operation to generate a conditioned document having only a portion of said content.

Claim 37 (New): The method according to claim 36, wherein said conditioned document has only a portion of original text of said content.

Claim 38 (New): The method according to claim 36, wherein the received document is obtained remotely from a server and the invoking is implemented in a content conditioner element of the processing device.